



# NORTH IDAHO STATE FAIR

## YOUTH STOCK SHOW AND SALE

### DEPARTMENTS 26: YOUTH STOCK SHOW DEPARTMENTS

#### Youth Market, Breeding, Dairy and Exhibition Classes

- By registering for the North Idaho State Fair Youth Stock Show and Sale, you confirm you have read, understand, and agree to the rules and regulations of the program, the North Idaho State Fair, and any additional documents and references necessary for registering, showing, and/or selling.
- Market animals must be registered prior to their initial weigh-in. Meat rabbits are required register by July 6th at midnight to show. All entries must be registered and paid for by August 1 at 12 PM, online at [nifr.fairwire.com](http://nifr.fairwire.com) or by form in the fair office. Late registration is available for **Independent exhibitors only** until August 8 by form in the Fair office.

**REGISTER ONLINE AT**  
[NIFR.FAIRWIRE.COM](http://NIFR.FAIRWIRE.COM)

- All exhibitors are required to complete the YQCA training or have the ‘test out’ certification by time of entry on ShoWorks.
- For information and updates, check the website [nisfair.fun](http://nisfair.fun) and the “NISF Youth Stock Show and Sale” Facebook page.
- Independent Exhibitor Reports are due by 4 PM Wednesday, September 3, 2025 in the Fair Office.
- Every exhibitor will need to submit a completed and signed Animal Affidavit Form with a Husbandry Form completed for each market animal before crossing the scale.

Species	Min Final Weight (lbs.)	CAP Sale Weight (lbs.)	Min ADG (lbs.)
Cattle	1100	1525	2.0
Hogs	230	300	1.1
Lambs	110	165	.40
Meat Goat	65	110	.15
Turkey less than 20 weeks	18	25	N/A
Poultry less than 12 weeks	6 ea	8 ea	N/A
Rabbits 10-14 weeks	4 ea	6 ea	N/A

*Large market animals over the cap sale weight at final weigh-in will be sold at the cap sale weight. Exhibitors will be paid only for the cap sale weight and buyers will be charged for only the cap weight. Small market animals (rabbits and poultry) exceeding the cap sale weight are ineligible to sell through the NISF Youth Stock Sale.*

**Min Final Weight** = Minimum market animal weight required to show in quality and be sale eligible

**CAP Sale Weight** = Any animal above this weight will sell at the CAP weight

**Minimum ADG** = Minimum ADG required to compete in quality judging championships (final drive)

# LARGE LIVESTOCK

## YSSS BEEF CATTLE

Initial steer weigh-in is March 23, 2025 1-3 PM, registration required before crossing the scale. Beef cattle require Bangs vaccinations as required by the State of Idaho. All market steers should be accompanied at final weigh-in by their blue slip for brand inspection. All cattle shows are in the Beef Ring.

### **DIVISION 2600: Breeding Beef (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Cow, 3 years & older
	2	Producing Cow, 2 years old
	3	Yearling Heifer
	4	Heifer Calf
	5	Cow & Calf

### **DIVISION 2601: Market Beef (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Kootenai/Shoshone County Grown Beef (Market animal bred, born, and raised in Kootenai or Shoshone County)
	2	Farm-born cattle (Market animal born and raised on the farm where the exhibitor lives as proved by brand documentation with exhibitor as majority owner since birth)
	3	Market Beef -Market Beef, 1100 pounds & over -Progress Market Beef, No Sale & Lightweight
	4	Alternate Market Beef

### **DIVISION 2609: Beef Cattle Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

## YSSS DAIRY CATTLE

All cattle shows are in the Beef Ring.

### **DIVISION 2610: Dairy Cattle (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Producing Cow, 3 years & older
	2	Producing Cow, under 3 years
	3	Non-producing Cow, 2 years old
	4	Yearling Heifer
	5	Heifer Calf

### **DIVISION 2619: Dairy Cattle Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

## YSSS MEAT GOAT

Initial goat weigh-in is June 15, 2025 10-5 PM, registration required before crossing the scale. All goats require a scrapies identification to sign up online. All meat goat shows will be in the Jacklin Ring.

### **DIVISION 2620: Breeding Meat Goats (all meat type breeds)**

CLASS	1	Senior Doe, any doe over 24 months
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2	Junior Doe, any doe under 24 months who has never kidded (Any doe over 24 months that has never kidded is not eligible to exhibit.)
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### **DIVISION 2621: Market Goats (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Kootenai/Shoshone County Grown Goat (Market animal bred, born, and raised in Kootenai or Shoshone County)
	2	Market Goat -Market Goat, 65 pounds & over -Progress Market Goat, No Sale & Lightweight
	3	Alternate Market Goat

### **DIVISION 2629: Meat Goat Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

## YSSS DAIRY GOATS

All dairy goat shows are in the Jacklin Ring.

### **DIVISION 2630: Dairy Goats (All breeds)**

CLASS	1	Senior Doe, any doe who has ever freshened including dry milker
	2	Junior Doe, any doe under 24 months who has never freshened ( <i>Any doe over 24 months that has never freshened shall not be shown.</i> )

### **DIVISION 2639: Dairy Goat Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

## YSSS EXHIBITION AND PACK GOAT

Pack Goat Obstacle Course will be by the Small Animal Tent, behind building 11 and 12.

### **DIVISION 2640: Pack Goat Obstacle Course**

CLASS	1	Pack goats may be separated by height for exhibit purposes
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### **DIVISION 2649: Exhibition/Pack Goat Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

## YSSS SHEEP

Initial goat weigh-in is June 15, 2025 10-5 PM, registration required before crossing the scale. All goats require a scrapies identification to sign up online. All sheep shows will be in the Jacklin Ring.

### **DIVISION 2650: Breeding Sheep (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Ewe, 2 years & older
	2	Yearling ewe
	3	Ewe lamb

5	Intermediate Buck
6	Senior Buck

**DIVISION 2651: Market Sheep (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Kootenai/Shoshone County Grown Lamb (Market animal bred, born, and raised in Kootenai or Shoshone County)
	2	Market Lamb -Market Lamb, 110 pounds & over -Progress Market Lamb, No Sale & Lightweight
	3	Alternate Market Lamb

**DIVISION 2659: Sheep Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

**YSSS SWINE**

Initial swine weigh-in is May 16, 5-8pm, and May 17, 8 AM-6 PM, registration required before crossing the scale. All hog shows will be in the Jacklin Ring.

**DIVISION 2660: Market Hogs (according to Market Hog Breed Classification)**

CLASS	1	Hampshire
	2	Yorkshire
	3	Duroc
	4	Landrace
	5	Chester White
	6	Spots
	7	Poland China
	8	Berkshire
	9	Hereford
	10	Light Cross
	11	Dark Cross
	12	Other Cross
	13	AOB Market Hog -Market Hog, 230 pounds & over -Progress Market Hog, No Sale & Lightweight
	14	Alternate Market Hog

**DIVISION 2669: Swine Showmanship**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

**SMALL LIVESTOCK**

**YSSS RABBIT**

Rabbits are required to attend Rabbit Tattooing Wednesday, Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 2-7pm. All rabbit shows will be in the Small Animal Tent.

**DIVISION 2670: Breeding Rabbit (all breeds)**

CLASS	1	Junior Doe
	2	Intermediate Doe
	3	Senior Doe
	4	Junior Buck

**DIVISION 2671: Market Rabbit**

CLASS	1	Meat Pen – 4-6 lbs. each, 10-14 weeks (all meat pens compete together)
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**DIVISION 2675: Exhibition Rabbit**

CLASS	1	All Exhibition Rabbit Projects *previously referred to as pet rabbit projects*
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**DIVISION 2679: Rabbit Showmanship**

Rabbit showmanship will include all Market, Breeding, and Exhibition rabbit participants. The highest placing market rabbit exhibitor in each age division will compete for one spot in the Market Round Robin. The highest placing breeding/exhibition rabbit exhibitor in each age division will compete for one spot in the Non-Market Round Robin.

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

**YSSS POULTRY**

All poultry exhibited must be tested for Avian Influenza August 6, 2025 2-7 PM. All poultry shows will be in the Small Animal Tent.

Note: No Waterfowl will be exhibited

**DIVISION 2680: Domestic Market Poultry**

CLASS	1	Market Poultry (pen of 3) – 6-8 lbs., less than 12 weeks
	2	Market Turkeys (pen of 2) – 18-25 lbs. each, less than 20 weeks

**DIVISION 2681: Exhibition Poultry**

CLASS	1	Pullets/Laying Hens
	2	Family Flock <b>Family Flock Showing Options: (all options show together in one class)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A single bird (rooster or hen)</li> <li>• A pair of birds (one rooster, one hen)</li> <li>• A trio of birds (One rooster, two hens)</li> </ul>
	3	All Other Exhibition Poultry

**DIVISION 2689: Poultry Showmanship**

Poultry showmanship will include all Market, Breeding, and Exhibition poultry participants. The highest placing market poultry exhibitor in each age division will compete for one spot in the Market Round Robin. The highest placing exhibition exhibitor in each age division will compete for one spot in the Non-Market Round Robin.

Market birds are not required to be used in showmanship. If you only enter a Market bird into the Fair, you may bring in an alternate bird to use for showmanship.

If you are only showing an Exhibition Poultry, **you are still required to show showmanship.**

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18

## **YSSS POCKET PET**

### **DIVISION 2699: Pocket Pet Showmanship**

**\*\*Pocket Pet showmanship will be on the Building 8 Stage on Wednesday, Aug 20 at 4pm\*\***

(Age of exhibitor as of January 1, 2025)

CLASS	1	Showman aged 8-10
	2	Showman aged 11-13
	3	Showman aged 14-18